



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Mikhail Vladimirovich KUTUSHOV

Serial No.: 10/575,830

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Title: MAGNETICALLY OPERATED
ABSORBENT AND METHOD FOR
THE PRODUCTION THEREOF

Customer No.: 42419

Group No.: 4181

Examiner:
Brian D. Walck

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR FILING
OF RESPONSE UNDER RULE 1.136(a)**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This Petition is filed with the Amendment in response to the Office
Action mailed 09 October 2008. The time period for submission of this Amendment
was set to expire 09 January 2009.

I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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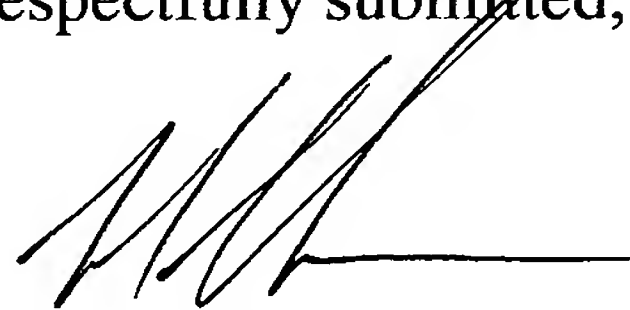
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Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for an extension of time of one (1) month for filing the Amendment in the above-identified Patent Application, such extension to expire 09 February 2009, which time is within the statutory period.

The Fee set in Rule 1.17 for the above-period is enclosed. If there is any deficiency or overage in the Fee required for the above-requested extension, please charge or credit Deposit Account No. 19-3550.

Respectfully submitted,

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